THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.V.S.RAO

WRIT PETITION NO.17128 OF 2007

DATED 14th AUGUST 2007

BETWEEN:

The Kakani Grampanchayat, rep.by its Sarpanch, Ch.Srinivasa Rao

… Petitioner

AND

The Divisional Panchayat Officer-cum-Chairman, Committee for fixing upset price, Narasaraopet, Guntur District and another.

… Respondents

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ORDER:

Kakani Gram Panchayat, Narasaraopet Mandal, Guntur District filed the instant writ petition seeking a direction to Divisional Panchayat Officer, Narasaraopet, to fix upset price for leasing out fishing rights in Panchayat tank as per the Rules by Government in G.O.Ms.No.343, dated 10.04.1978. The petitioner made a representation on 23.07.2007 and even before expiry of two weeks, present writ petition is filed.

Therefore, this Court is not inclined to give any interim direction to first respondent. However, this Court observes that as the power is conferred on first respondent under Rule 3 of Rules Relating to Leasing of Fishery Rights in Minor Irrigation Tanks and other Sources vested in Gram Panchayat under A.P.Gram Panchayat Act, 1964, appropriate orders may be passed by first respondent.

The writ petition, with the above observation, is dismissed. No costs.

(V.V.S.RAO,J)

14.08.2007.
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